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FAIR TIME AGAIN - SOON



PREPARING TO welcome persons attending the 48th annual Tulare County fair, September 16-21, is Miss Debbie Gilbert, of Porterville, 14th District Dairy Princess, who is shown "talking things over" with one of the excellent dairy animals that will be entered in the 1969 fair. Debbie is right at home with dairy cattle, since she was raised on a dairy farm and showed award-winning dairy cattle as one of her 4-H projects - Jersey cattle, however. But for the sake of the fair, Debbie will pose even with one of those black and white Holsteins.

FABULOUS STUDIO BAND FEATURED IN ENTERTAINMENT AT COUNTY FAIR

TULARE — Buck Shaffer and the Fabulous Studio band will be featured as part of the entertainment at the Tulare County fair, September 16-21, with the band to be joined by Porterville performers for two variety shows on Sunday, September 21, at 2:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., in Elliott auditorium. There will be no admission charge for these shows.

Changing the pattern of special entertainment from previous years, Fair Manager Al Slindle will bring in teenage performers on the nights of September 16 and 20, under direction of Melco Enterprises.

During the first three nights of the fair, the world renowned hypnotist, Dr. Micheal Dean, will perform in a free grandstand show; on September 19 and 20, professional shows in Elliott auditorium, at 2:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., will feature The Great Ricardo, comedy magician; The Bakers, internationally-known jugglers; Hank Sieman, multi-voiced comedian; and Kenny Burk,

banjo virtuoso.

The Popcorn Theater Puppeteers, in their production of "Hats-A-Courtin'," will play throughout the fair, appearing twice daily - at 5:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. - except on opening day when times are 3:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Two thrill events are on the fair program - a Destruction Derby the evening of September 19, at 8:00 p.m. in front of the grandstand; and Motorcycle racing September 20, with time trials to start at 6:00 p.m.

Tulare County Cotton Wives Auxiliary will present the annual "Cotton Fashion Show," Tuesday evening, September 16, starting at 7:30 p.m.

West Coast Shows carnival will be on the grounds throughout the fair, featuring a new, European-designed thrill ride, the "Trabant."

General admission to the fair grounds will be 75 cents for adults, 50 cents for students, 11-16 years; 25 cents for children, 6-11 years; and no

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Stock Car Races OKed For Veterans' Day

PORTERVILLE — Stock car racing at the Rocky Hill speedway was approved as a feature of Porterville's 51st annual Veterans' Day and Homecoming, November 11, at a meeting of members of the celebration committee Monday night.

The races will start at 4 p.m., with gates to open at 3 p.m.; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Esmay, who operate the track and who will handle this event, state that drivers can be expected from throughout the San Joaquin Valley.

Homecoming Queen's ball date was changed from November 8 to Monday, November 10, because of a closer tie-in with the celebration and because of conflicting local football dates. Buck Shaffer, with the Fabulous Studio band, will provide music for the ball.

Hazel Lofton, secretary of the Homecoming parade, reported that a float will be entered this year from Naval Air Station Lemoore, and that either Capt. D.C. Stanley, commanding officer of the base, and Mrs. Stanley, or Comm. Marvin M. Quaid, chief of staff, and Mrs. Quaid, will ride in the parade.

Co-Chairmen of the parade committee are: Louis Ramos, representing Mount Whitney

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OPERATION "SAIL" WILL TAKE OFF FOR SPRINGVILLE IMPROVEMENT; TOWN MEETING TUESDAY EVENING

SPRINGVILLE — Operation "SAIL" - Springville Area Improvement League - will take off at 8:00 p.m. next Tuesday evening at a Town Meeting in the Springville Memorial building, with all persons in the community invited to attend - and to bring ideas.

Sponsored by the Springville chamber of commerce, the new organization is designed to put together and develop action on plans aimed at improvement of the community.

"It is the hope of the chamber of commerce board of directors that various committees can be formed at this initial meeting," according to Dick Coon, president of the Springville chamber.

"Matters that may well concern the league are employment within the community, future of the Springville hospital, highway improvement, water management, recreation, and sewer control," Coon says.

"Of first importance is a general Clean-Up, Fix-Up program throughout the community," Coon states.

Coon points out that recently the Springville chamber of commerce made a second request to the Tulare county board of supervisors asking that an area plan for the community be developed by the county planning department.

"Original request made in March was not acknowledged and was apparently lost," Coon

says, "at least it never arrived at the county planning office. We need community organization to

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Poplar Is Ready For Big Barbecue

POPLAR — "Everything is ready, just come on out." That's the word from Melba George, secretary of the Poplar chamber of commerce, who says that serving of the chamber's annual barbecue will start at 6:30 p.m. tonight, Thursday, at the Tule River Youth Center.

On the menu will be barbecued beef, beans, salad, French bread, and coffee. And for dessert - grapes.

Head man at the barbecue pits will be Walt Flagler, with all members of the Poplar chamber assisting in one way or another. Actually, work crews went into action over the past weekend to get the grounds and tables ready.

Barbecue tickets, being sold by chamber members, will be available on the grounds at \$1.50 for adults and \$1.00 for children, 12 years and under.

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RESEARCH WORK TO INCREASE COTTON PRODUCTION WILL BE SHOWN ON TOUR

VISALIA — Annual cotton tour for Tulare County cotton growers has been scheduled for tomorrow, September 12, to show research work aimed at a production breakthrough by University of California and U.S.D.A. research personnel charged with the responsibility of reversing the trend of declining cotton production in this area, according to Farm Advisor Alan George, Agricultural Extension Service, University of California.

This year's tour is being conducted in cooperation with the cotton department of the Tulare County Farm Bureau, with Frank Gunn, chairman of this group, emphasizing the

importance of research in finding an economic solution to the cotton problems in the Tulare County area.

Since Verticillium wilt is a big factor in production losses in recent years in Tulare County, many of the tests to be shown will be related to work in solving this disease problem, George says.

An extensive program has been underway in Tulare county since 1963 by the University and U.S.D.A. cooperatively to help find a solution. In addition to work within the county considerable work is being done in the greenhouse and laboratory on three University of California campuses at Berkeley, Davis and

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Paul Bunyan Days Again Planned; Deer Hunter Can Win 30-30 Rifle

CAMP NELSON — This mountain resort will play host to the state's lumberjacks on Saturday and Sunday, October 4 and 5, when the second annual Paul Bunyan Days will be held.

Loggers from all over California will compete in choker setting, hand chopping, double bucking, working power saw, axe throwing and birling. The program on both days is free to the public.

Last year, the Martin Hedrick family of Grass Valley won virtually all of the trophies, working singly and in pairs.

Contestants who are planning to enter the two-day competition are advised to make reservations for overnight accommodations at Camp Nelson or at nearby Pierpoint Springs.

And for deer hunters who

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Search Is Underway For Maid Of Cotton; Deadline Date For Entry September 20

STRATHMORE — Annual search for a Tulare County Maid of Cotton is now underway, with Mrs. Donald Eisner, of Strathmore, serving as chairman of a selection committee composed of members of the Tulare County Cotton Wives Auxiliary.

Deadline for entry is September 20; selection will be announced October 11 at a banquet honoring contestants in the Elks club at Visalia. This year's Maid of Cotton is Linda Cruff, of Dinuba; alternate is Karen Eisner, of Strathmore.

To be eligible for the title in 1969-70, a girl must never have been married; she must never have been a finalist in the Tulare County Maid of Cotton selection; she must be between 19 and 23 years of age, inclusive, as of December 27, 1970; and

she must have been born in a cotton-producing state or county.

As for other qualifications, a contestant must be photogenic; have a good figure and no visible scars; be at least five feet five and one-half inches tall without shoes; be in excellent health; be willing and able to meet people and to speak before an audience; be willing to work as a goodwill ambassador in promotion of cotton products; be able to travel throughout California and model cotton wardrobes under direction of a tour manager; and agree to appear before a judging committee, not an audience, in a bathing suit.

Tulare County Maid of Cotton will compete for the title of California Maid of Cotton.

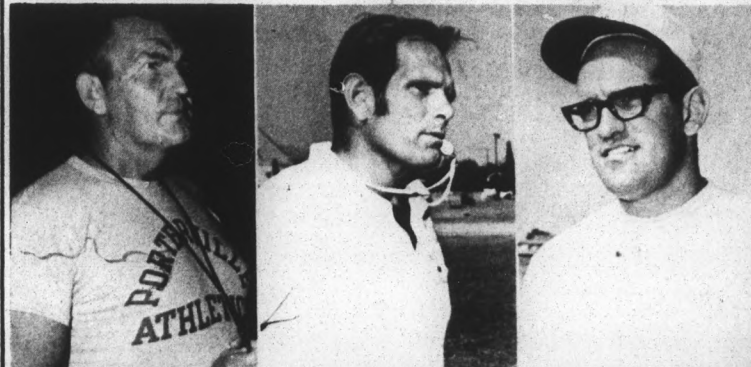
Background, personality and appearance are of equal

importance in selection of a Maid of Cotton; object of the selection is to stimulate interest in the cotton industry and in cotton products.

Girls must provide glossy photos for publicity use, with pictures submitted to become the property of the Tulare County Cotton Wives Auxiliary.

Serving on the selection committee with Mrs. Eisner are: Mesdames Robert Fallert and Milburn Rogers, of Porterville; Manuel Faria, of Tipton; Vi Riano, of Dinuba; and Henry Dalton, of Visalia; President of the Tulare County Cotton Wives Auxiliary is Mrs. W.H. Williams, of Dinuba.

Girls interested in the Maid of Cotton selection should contact any of the committee members.



"BIG THREE" on the fall athletic scene are these head football coaches, from left: Sim Iness, of the Porterville College Pirates; Bob Otto, of the Porterville High School Panthers; and Ron Kavadas, of the Monache High School Marauders. All have their work cut out - Sim, coming off a poor 1968 season but with a squad of "new boys," Bob, defending the Panthers' 1968 league title; and Ron, putting the Marauders into their first year of football.

(Farm Tribune photos)

Editorial Comment

YOUTH'S REAL CHALLENGE

"The important thing for a young person to remember is don't stand aside. Don't be up in the bleachers when you can be down on the field. Remember that the greatness of your life is determined by the extent to which you participate in the great events of your time."

These words of President Nixon were spoken from the personal experience of forty-odd years of political life. They bear thinking about.

As the President pointed out, we can't win 'em all. "But what you will miss, if you do not get in, is something that you can never recover. It is far more important to get into a battle and fight hard for what you believe in and lose than not to fight at all . . . it is that kind of spirit that America needs, that you as young Americans can bring not only to the young community, but (to) the older ones as well."

A lot of us have moments . . . sad moments . . . when we feel like writing off a whole generation of young people because of their attitude toward authority. Mr. Nixon, on the other hand, suggests that we should not look at our domestic problems "in terms of the threat, but in terms of the opportunity."

The real challenge of young America, he says, lies in "looking down to the end of this century. It is an exciting challenge, not a burden to be carried and whimpered about, but one to be accepted with all the excitement that we have when we meet any kind of new experience, any kind of challenge."

Sound advice, from a man who has met quite a few challenges himself, and has done pretty well.

Diversified Crop Activity In Tulare Co.

VISALIA — A diversity of farm activity is reported this week by Agricultural Commissioner Elvin O. Mankins, who says that milo harvest is underway in most districts; bolls are beginning to open in cotton fields; field corn harvest is getting underway.

Blackeye harvest has started; sugar beet harvest is moving rapidly; cutting of field corn for silage continues; Valencia oranges are still being picked.

Pistachio nut crop is looking good at this time; grape harvest is moving well; late peaches are being picked; prunes are being harvested; mixed melons are still being packed; shaking of walnuts and almonds has started.

Late tomato planting is finished; fall beans have been planted and are making good growth; irrigated pasture is in good condition; rangeland conditions continue unchanged with good water conditions and with very little supplemental feeding at this time.

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Post 2001, Veterans of Foreign Wars; and William A. Dupree, representing Post 20, The American Legion.

In other business, Ed. Flory reported that the city of Porterville had waived fees on the carnival that will set up on the Porterville fair grounds; Ialene Flory reported that plans are developing for the Homecoming Queen contest; Celester Gomon, president of Post 20 American Legion Auxiliary, and Roy Dempsey, Post 20 commander, reported that sale of program advertising is "progressing nicely;" list of Homecoming prizes will be available at next Monday's meeting, it was stated.

General chairmen of the 1969 Veterans' Day and Homecoming are: Courtney McDonnell, American Legion; and Danny Flores, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Large percentage of southern California Valencia oranges are going to processors because of frost damage.

WHAT DO FARMERS REALLY WANT? "UNITED FRONT" IS LACKING NOW

WASHINGTON, D.C. — Question of what the nation's farmers really want in the way of federal programs and actions is a tough one at present, and many conflicting opinions are being expressed by farm organizations.

In a recent address at Lubbock, Texas, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture Clarence Palmby, touched on these points and made a number of pertinent comments concerning farmers and agriculture.

"As the Administration looks at the farm programs - as the Congress balances agriculture's needs against other priorities - the question might well be asked what does agriculture want? I am really disturbed by the divisions that I find in the agricultural community," Palmby said.

"What we get is a clatter of opinions that are contradictory. We get a clash of philosophies and a great deal of downright antagonism. What we don't get is an emerging viewpoint that is practical, politically realistic and generally agreed upon."

One Farm Coalition committee seemed, according to

Palmby, "to favor basically the extension of the current commodity programs with modifications. They opposed massive land retirement in favor of individual commodity programs."

However, Palmby continued, "farm policy does not exist in a sterilized laboratory - isolated from the real world of political push and pull and a variety of national needs that exceed our resources."

"Another farm organization is recommending massive land retirement with decreased activity under the cotton and grain programs leading to a complete phase out of annual programs in 5 years. It would provide for retirement of at least 10 million quotas, processing taxes and direct payment for wheat, feed grains, and cotton would be phased out."

"I believe that the continued failure of farm interests to achieve some kind of unity is dangerous. It is not realistic to assume that a divided agriculture can expect a highly urbanized Congress to pay attention to the needs of farmers."

"Today only 83 congressional districts out of 435 have 15% or

more of their residents living on farms."

"Unfortunately agricultural and farm programs have on occasion become the center for criticism growing out of problems such as hunger, poverty, inflation, urban problems, pollution of the environment - all sources of national frustration."

"It is a special irony to blame farmers for rising food prices when farmers' returns have not reflected the increased retail value of foods."

"As we go into the 1970's I think it is fair to say that farm programs now and in the future must be designed to serve producers and society in general. This is dictated by political reality."

We hope that these programs can also be tailored to operate in the interests of agricultural businesses. In any event, the businesses that serve agriculture will be benefited by a general strengthening of farm income based on a real growth in markets at home and abroad."

The Secretary ended his remarks by saying "To me the answer is clear. There must be a new unity in American agriculture."

THE OLD DAYS

Yester-Years - Plano School And Cemetery

By S. L. Creeks

We will now leave the Creeks home and have a few words on the Plano school. First this school was a two story structure made of wood with grooved siding on the outside, four windows downstairs and four upstairs. The inside was of boards which I believe were papered with wallpaper. On the front of the building was a steeple and in the top of it was a large bell. The bell was rung when classes were to assemble.

A large platform extended out in front of the school for all pupils to line up on in two lines and march in. The first to the fifth grades were in front going into the lower classroom, the sixth on to the ninth grades, in the rear, turned and went upstairs. In the front of the rooms was the teacher's desks and in the rear of each room was a large potbellied stove that burned wood.

My first teacher was an old maid by the name of Miss Hahn who later married L.W. Villemin, both deceased now. Miss Hahn was so comforting to the younger kids, trying to make all adore her which they did. Miss Porch was the higher grade teacher and also was an old maid but later married Warren Hastings of Terra Bella. Both are deceased now. When ever a student got out of control he was sent up to Miss Porch's room for punishment which most of the time was to sit on a platform in front of her desk facing the other larger kids. It was a very humiliating ordeal to sit there and let the older kids make fun of us.

My teacher when I graduated from school, was T.A. Wann, father of Dave Rambo's wife Erma. Mr. Wann was a very good

teacher and was respected by all the kids as they knew the circumstances if they did wrong. One time a suppose-to-be-tough kid did something, causing Mr. Wann to ire. He grabbed the kid and threw him clear over the potbellied stove. The enrollment at the Plano school ran between sixty and eighty kids.

Let's go outside and view the yard as to what it was like. First there was a four-board fence around about an acre of ground and painted white, while the schoolhouse was of a gray color. At the north-east corner of the fence was a stile with steps up from the inside and down the outside so one could get over the fence. Inside the fence was a line of pepper trees, scycamore and umbrella trees. They were close enough together that us kids would climb one and jump from one tree to another going all the way around the yard that way.

A large woodshed was in the back to hold the winter supply of wood. Next to that was the outside toilet for boys and girls with a petition between. A well was on the south side with a windmill and tank for water supply. Later a gasoline engine and pump was installed, then an electric pump.

After the school term of 1913 the old school building was torn down and a new brick building was erected and instead of Plano school being put on it,

it was called Vandalia school deriving the name from the Vandalia Irrigation district. Two men, from what I understand, were responsible for the name change, Jay Brown and Glen Ihlefeld.

About the same time the old Plano cemetery name was changed to Vandalia cemetery. I had heard that a man, an old-timer by the name of Childers, had donated the Plano cemetery land. I learned a Childers lived in Springville who made the donation so I made a visit to see and talk to this man, who was at the time in his later years and received the same answer from him.

There was no tax money for keeping the lots clean so every spring a large dinner was held at the old Plano school also auctions of cakes made by the ladies. One year my mother made a cake which she called a rocky mountain cake. It was auctioned and brought seventy five dollars from L.E. Prestage an orange grower and well driller. The money was put in a cemetery fund for cleaning lots. I got the job every summer and was paid by a Plano Cemetery check. I know because I was there. If I remember right five dollars was paid for opening and closing a grave. There was also a sign above the gate that said Plano cemetery.

Public Meetings Are Scheduled On Use Plan In Inyo National Forest

BISHOP — Two public meetings have been scheduled to discuss the multiple use plan of the National Forests as it applies to the south half of the Inyo National forest, and proposed classification of the Golden Trout area on the north end of the Kern plateau.

Joseph T. Radel, supervisor of the Inyo National Forest, states that the first meeting will be held next Thursday, September 18, at 7:30 p.m., in the Lone Pine high school. Second meeting will be held a week later, September 25, in Bakersfield.

Object of the meetings is to "give the public a voice in administration of their forest"

according to Radel. The multiple use plan in the Inyo Forest will be explained at the meetings, and comments received from interested persons.

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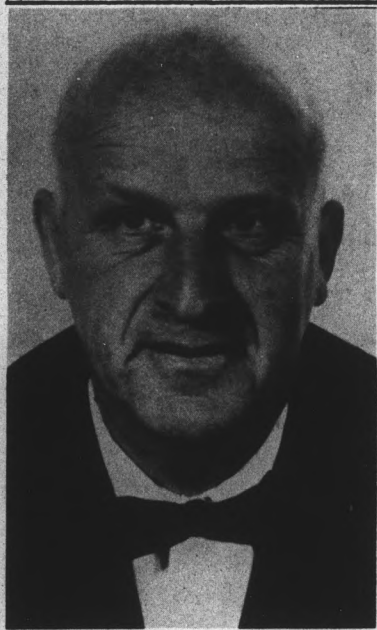
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NEW POST of vice president-administration for Beckman Instruments Inc. has been filled by appointment of Donald A. Strauss, who will continue to serve as chairman of the company's Management Development Policy Board and Retirement committee. Strauss has been with the Beckman organization since 1952.

CALIFORNIA SPEAKS

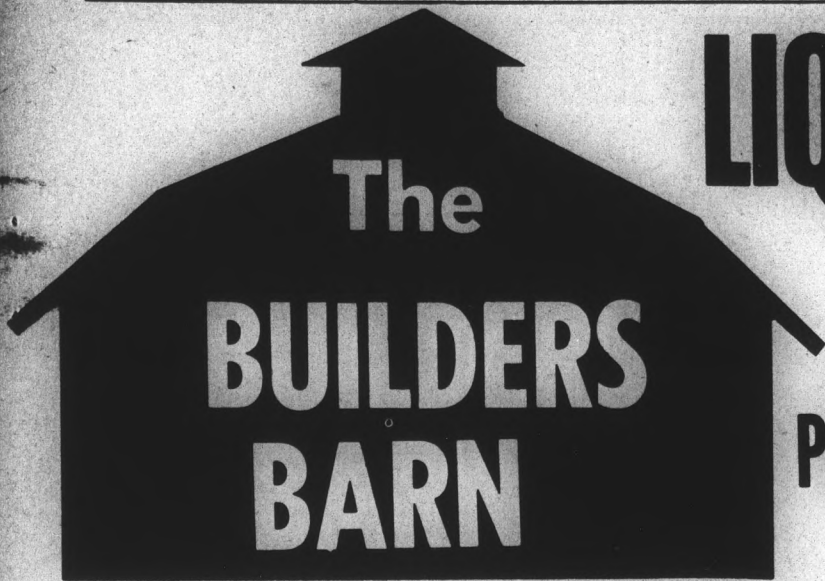
ALECHA NEWBERN, Oakland, Miss Teen Princess U.S.A. — "I've always been happy the way I am. I'm black, and it's very obvious . . . but in our family, race has never been an important question."

COBEY DORFMAN, Hollywood — "I believe it is possible to love your country, be a friend to Jackie Robinson and be a fan of John Wayne and Dustin Hoffman. Isn't that what this country is supposed to be about?"

DR. LOUIS KUPLAN, S.F. retirement planning consultant — "If we continue to ignore some 20 million Americans over 65, we shall force the elderly into becoming a highly militant, revolutionary factor in our society."

HOWARD WAY, State Senate President Pro Tem — "In the minds of most people, when you talk of tax reform they think you are talking about tax reduction. Reform, however, is merely a redistribution of the tax load."

WILLIAM D. WESSLY, Glendale — "The mere possession of a diploma is only the start of a business career; from then on the employee is on his own."



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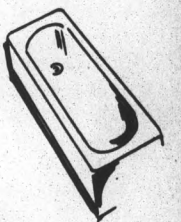
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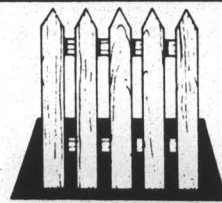
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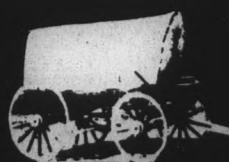
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BY BILL RODGERS

'TIS THE season, almost, when organizations send out letters and certificates to the various dispensers of news, including us, which tell us how great we really are, and which profusely thank us for our unsurpassed interest and assistance in their particular project. . . Actually, we toss most of them in the waste basket, for there is no reason to thank us for what we print, since we print what we print because we believe that what we print has news value. Our motive is not to help someone or some cause. . . Most amusing is a flowery letter or a printed certificate of thanks - which we often receive - from some group or other about which we have printed not a single word. . . As a suggestion to the wise - if you want your news items used by The Farm Tribune (and we would guess by other news media) make those items accurate and concise; type them, double spaced; and remember to cover the five Ws of journalism: Who, what, why, when and where. . . Properly prepared news items will get you more space than thank you letters and fancy certificates ever will.

DAVIS HARP, who used to write a sports column for us but who has been unable to do so for more than several months because of an old football knee, tells us that he knocked over two deer during the early coast season. "Would you buy that," he asked us. "OK, we'll buy," said we. "With one shot, sitting on the back step of a camper, with a cup of coffee in one hand?" "Look Harp," said we, "If you want to see that in print,

start writing your own column again." . . Speaking of Harp, who used to play football at Porterville college, reminds us of Sid Hall, who used to coach football at Porterville college. Sid is now on the coaching staff of the Oakland Raiders, masterminding the defensive linebackers. Sid crashed the Raider-Baltimore Colts game program with a photo, and a writeup, the latter including a couple of mentions of Porterville college.

IF YOU haven't been paying attention to what's happening down Wasco way, you might be surprised to learn that this area is rapidly becoming the center of the commercial rose production business, in fact right now there are some 2,376 acres of blooming roses thereabouts, and more than 20,000,000 rose plants will be harvested this year in northern Kern county by seven major, national growers. . . Naturally, all this means a celebration, which is now in progress - the Wasco Festival of Roses, with a Festival parade Saturday, at 2:00 p.m.; a rose show in the Veterans' Memorial building; and tours, during the day, of the rose fields - plus a lot of other entertainment on both Saturday and Sunday.

IF YOU don't succeed the first time, try, try again. That must be the motto of those persons in the Lindsay area who want to form a mosquito abatement district along the east side of Tulare county, from the area of Tonyville, south. Seems someone in Porterville also wants to get into the act, but over in Lindsay the folks who are carrying the ball and calling meetings put their names on the line.

Citrus Freeze Damages Paid

FRESNO - Freeze damage amounting to \$1,643,918 is being paid to 628 orange growers in Tulare, Fresno, and Kern counties, with most of the damage coming in one night - December 21, 1968. E. Kirk Harper, state director for the Federal Crop Insurance Corp., says that largest loss payments are being made in Tulare county - \$1,266,321 to 272 growers of Navel oranges and 226 growers of Valencia oranges.

Five herds of Tule elk in Inyo county now number between 330 and 400 animals.

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A TUESDAY BONUS STORE



PETE GIOTTA, right, president of the Visalia Sons of Italy lodge, and Lodge Member Phil Bianco, show the kind of steaks that will be served at annual meeting and banquet of the Tulare County Property Owners association next Thursday evening, September 18, in the Exeter Memorial building. The

lodge will cater the dinner that will feature 16-ounce T-Bone steaks. Speaker will be Evelle J. Younger, Los Angeles county district attorney. Reservations can be made by calling 734-0540, or by writing to the TCPOA office, 1500 Mooney Blvd., Visalia.

TULARE COUNTY 4-H EXHIBITORS "WIN THEIR SHARE" OF AWARDS IN MANY CATEGORIES AT CAL EXPO

VISALIA - Tulare County's 4-H Club exhibitors at Cal Expo won their share of awards according to Ronald S. Knight, Tulare County Farm advisor. Following are the complete results of Tulare County's 4-H participation in all divisions of the fair:

Entomology - Fourth year - Red award: Steve Bakalian, Vandalia 4-H club. Second year (intermediate) - Blue award: Glenn Bakalian, Vandalia.

Electricity - Continuity tester - Red award: Brent Scranton, Vandalia. Extension cord - Red award: Jeff Clark, Tulare; Greg Bennett, Vandalia.

Woodworking - Cutting board - White award: Brent Scranton, Vandalia.

Plant Science - Citrus nursery - Red award: Greg and John Bennett, Vandalia. White award: Billy Bennett, Vandalia.

Market Beef - Richard Bennett, Vandalia, 1 fifth; Steve Schmid, Vandalia, 1 second; JoAnne Purinton, Vandalia, 1 first. JoAnne also had the Reserve Champion Shorthorn.

Breeding Beef - JoAnne Purinton, 2 seconds, 1 third; Richard Bennett, 1 first, 2 fourths, 1 fifth.

Market Sheep - Emmy Lu Weldon, Vandalia, 1 first, 1 second, 1 third; Brent Scranton, Vandalia, 1 fourth; Janice Scranton, Vandalia, 1 third, 1 fifth.

Sheep Showmanship - Janice Scranton, 1 second.

Market Swine - Steven Williams, Wilson-Dinuba, 1 first; Ross Williams, Wilson-Dinuba, 1 first; Stephen Gulley, Wilson-Dinuba, 1 second.

Breeding Swine - Steven Williams, 2 firsts, 5 seconds, 4 thirds, 2 fourths.

Horse Show - Western Equitation, Sr. - Emmy Lu Weldon, Vandalia, ninth place.

Foods and Nutrition - Blue award: Leslie Stark, Lindsay. Red award: Laurel Stark,

Lindsay.

Home Furnishings - Special award: Laurel Stark, Lindsay. Red award: Claudia Manning, Prairie Center.

Clothing - Special award: Prairie Center - Diane Della, Linda Della (2), Claudia Manning. Rockford - Susanna Borba. Westfield - Elizabeth Gilbert, Carolyn Peterson.

Clothing - Blue award: Ducor - Donna Evans, Julie Swartzlander, Debra Todd. Lindsay - Joanne Pelous, Laurel Stark. Oakdale - Penny Cunningham, Cynthia Ferreira, Pam Swall, Linda Vieira. Prairie Center - Rebecca Fuller, Christine Heuer, Linda Lee, Nancy Lee. Rockford - Kathy Briano. Tulare - Cheryl Souza. Waukena - Loretta Ribeiro. Westfield - Tina Reed.

Clothing - Red award: Ducor - Marcia Carlisle, Kathy Garlock, Kathy Kirkland, Claire Muller, Debbie Parker, Vicki Sandoval. East Lynne, Gracelyn Wells. Kings River - Ricarda Cerda. Lindsay - Cathy Pelous. Oakdale - Terry Bevers, Maryeann Escobar, Paula Fidler, Pam Toledo, Eldena York. Oak Grove - Jan Marie Wilson. Prairie Center - Norma Hilty. Rockford - Cathy Mortenson. Success Valley - JoWayne Brown. Waukena - Raylene Balaam, Loretta Curti, Karen Martin, Marian Martin. Westfield - Betsy Atkin, Karen Atkin.

RED CROSS FUNDS NEEDED FOR CAMILLE

PORTERVILLE - The Porterville chapter of the American Red Cross reports that 16 members of the Porterville chapter have contributed a total of \$245.00 toward assisting the victims of Hurricane Camille. Additional contributions are needed and will be accepted at the Red Cross office, 74 East Mill, Porterville, according to O.H. Shires, disaster chairman.

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EVELLE YOUNGER, Los Angeles County District attorney, who will speak next Thursday evening at third annual meeting of the Tulare County Property Owners' association in the Exeter Memorial building. A social hour at 6:30 p.m. will be followed by a steak dinner.

Evelle Younger Will Speak At Association Meet

EXETER - Evelle J. Younger, district attorney of Los Angeles county, will be the guest speaker at third annual meeting of the Tulare County Property Owners' association, September 18, in the Veterans' Memorial building at Exeter. A no-host social hour, at 6:30 p.m., will be followed by a steak dinner.

Younger is a former special agent of the FBI; he was chairman of President Richard Nixon's Task Force on Crime and Law Enforcement; he is a possible candidate for the office of California attorney general.

John Kazanjian, president of the Property Owners' association, says that non-members are welcome to attend the dinner, however, reservations of members and their guests will be given priority.

Tickets for the dinner are \$3.50; reservations can be requested at 1500 So. Mooney Blvd., Visalia, Suites 8-9, telephone 732-4704.

COUNTY GIRLS DRESS WINNERS AT STATE FAIR

VISALIA - Six girls from Tulare county received outstanding garment awards at the recent California State fair, and participated in a 4-H Fashion review:

Diane Della, Linda Della, and Claudia Manning of the Prairie Center 4-H club; Carolyn Peterson and Elizabeth Gilbert, of the Westfield club; and Susan Borba, of the Rockford club. Jeri Espindula, Tulare county dress revue winner and state dress revue finalist, was also invited to model.

Entered at the fair were 57 home economics exhibits and 26 agricultural exhibits from Tulare County 4-H club members.

FARM WORKERS SHOW DECLINE

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PRESIDING AT September 3 meeting in Porterville to discuss possible formation of a mosquito abatement district was Dr. C.S. Crane, left, with professionals in the field of mosquito abatement answering questions - Bryan Whitworth, center, federal entomologist who has been working in the Porterville area to control the culex tarsalis mosquito, and Kenneth L. Phillips, vector control specialist, bureau of vector control and solid waste management, State of California Department of Public Health, who has also been working with the special mosquito control program in the Porterville area. About 25 persons attended the meeting; no one would accept responsibility for calling the meeting; summary of the situation was made by Dr. Crane. "Do you want to form a committee to work for petitions? I don't intend to create a committee. If some of you want to get together and

pursue it, that's the thing to do. If you get no response, don't whip a dead horse." Move to form a mosquito abatement district is originating in the Lindsay area, with general plan to include some 380 square miles of area along the eastern side of Tulare county to tie in with adjacent mosquito abatement districts, and that would include the incorporated cities of Lindsay and Porterville, the communities of Strathmore, Springville, Terra Bella, and Ducor, along with farm lands in this general area. The plan is essentially the same as was proposed and discussed at considerable length about a year ago, and was dropped because of lack of support.

(Farm Tribune photo)

PLEASANT VIEW 4-H OFFICERS PLAN ACTIVITIES

PLEASANT VIEW - An officers meeting was held September 2, at the E.B. Cornell home to discuss plans for a September 8 meeting, and other business. Members attending were: Bill Cornell, Pam Holterman, Jill Faure, Clinton Atwood, Theresa Alley, and Ronald Santry.

Leaders attending were: Mrs. E.B. Cornell, Mrs. C.O. Faure, and Mrs. A.P. Holterman. Topics discussed included: Achievement night, tours, floats, Poplar barbecue, and 4-H breakfast.

The 4-H Chuck Wagon breakfast will be held October 11, during 4-H week, which is October 5-12. Pleasant View 4-H will observe October 5 as 4-H Sunday, the first Sunday of 4-H week. Possible plans for other community projects were discussed.

Pleasant View 4-H has been asked to serve coffee and help decorate tables at the Poplar Barbecue, September 11.

A club window in a Porterville business firm is to be decorated by October 4. Pam Holterman will be responsible for obtaining window.

Bow hunting seasons for deer and grouse will close Sunday, September 14.

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BOB WILEY, sheriff of Tulare county, in center of group, with boys selected by deputy sheriffs for their contributions to their

communities, who attended a recent California Angels baseball game in Anaheim. Bus trip to

the game, and lunch, was provided by the Visalia Moose Lodge No. 546.

Hearing Sept. 19 On Milk Prices At Three Rivers

SACRAMENTO - Proposed amendments to the boundaries of two resale milk pricing zones for the Central Valley Milk Marketing area will be offered in a public hearing by the California Department of Agriculture on September 19 in Fresno, Department Director Jerry W. Fielder has announced.

The hearing will be held in the California State building, Room 1036, 2550 Mariposa street, Fresno, beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Representatives of the dairy industry and fluid milk consumers in the Three Rivers community of Tulare county have indicated that the present price zone boundary has established unnecessarily high minimum milk prices in Three Rivers, Fielder said.

At present, the minimum retail store price to consumers in Three Rivers is 53½ cents per half gallon and 27½ cents per quart. If the boundary is changed as proposed, the minimum retail price would be reduced to 51 cents per half gallon and 26½ cents per quart.

DAVID RASMUSSEN IN RECITAL SUNDAY

PORTERVILLE - David Rasmussen will appear in a vocal recital Sunday afternoon, September 14, 3:30 p.m., in the Porterville College theater; Betty Deaton will be the accompanist.

The recital is being presented as a benefit for the Madrigal Singers, of Porterville High school. There will be no admission charge, but donations will be accepted.

The concert will include compositions by Monteverdi, Brahms, and Schumann, as well as an entire section of Rogers and Hammerstein favorites.

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SHERIFF, MOOSE LODGE TAKE BOYS TO CALIF. ANGEL BASEBALL GAME

VISALIA - A group of 20 Tulare county youngsters selected as outstanding citizens, were treated to a day at the California Angels ballpark in Anaheim, recently.

The game, bus trip to Los Angeles and lunch were provided by Visalia Moose Lodge No. 546. The boys were accompanied on their journey by members of the Moose lodge, and members of the Tulare County Sheriff's department.

The youngsters, representing various areas within the county, were selected by deputy sheriffs for their contributions to the community.

The bus load of youngsters left the sheriff's headquarters in Visalia in the morning. After viewing the Angels, Detroit Tigers game they were transported back to Visalia.

On the trip were: Bert Harmon, Farmersville; Larry

Gayer, Exeter; Gilbert Lopez, Woodlake; Danny Lizardo, and Henry Scott of Tulare;

Max Mendoza, Richgrove; Joe Painter, Strathmore; Billy Dean Meyers and Michael Werner of Springville; George Rodriguez, Woodville; Jim Williams and Jeff White of Pixley;

Marcos Guichiola and Armondo Leal, Tipton; Denny Jackson, Earlimart; Sam Florendo, Yettem; Ruben Garcia, Joey Somawang, Orosi; Frank Manquero, Cutler; and David Cook of Dinuba.

Visalia Moose Lodge members traveling with the group included: George Matusko, chairman of the Community Services commission; Lyndell Gleckler, Ted Pronold and Bill Billgren. Sheriff's personnel were: Sgt. Odis Thomason, Det. Rudy Pina, Deputies Bob Hamilton, Phealan Case and Elmus Chambers.

PROPERTY OWNERS WILL RECOGNIZE ECONOMY-MINDED OFFICIALS

EXETER - Special awards of recognition for services to the public and taxpayer will be awarded to two county officials at the annual meeting of the Tulare County Property Owner's association September 18.

TCPOA President John Kazanjian has announced that directors of the taxpayer's group are this year instituting an annual tradition of awarding plaques to the county supervisor and to the county employee, who in their estimation, has done the most to achieve economy in county government in the preceding year.

The meeting of the group at which the awards will be presented will feature as keynote speaker Evette J. Younger, district attorney for the county of Los Angeles. Younger is a probable candidate for the office of State Attorney General. He was chairman of President Nixon's Task Force on Crime and Law Enforcement.

Kazanjian states that reservations for the dinner may be made through the offices of the Property Owner's association at 1500 S. Mooney Blvd., in Visalia. He stated that both

members and non-members are welcome. The entree will be T-Bone steak and the cost per plate, \$3.50.

SALLEE AUTHORS

BEAN PUBLICATION

VISALIA - William R. Sallee, farm advisor in Tulare county, is senior author of a new University of California publication, "Commercial Blackeye Bean Production in California." The co-author is Francis L. Smith, emeritus professor, Agronomy and Range science, University of California at Davis.

MEDICAL FACILITIES FOR PORTERVILLE

PORTERVILLE - Dr. Pat Nelson will discuss medical facilities for the City of Porterville at a meeting of the Community Goals commission being held tonight, Thursday, at 7:30 p.m., in the Porterville city hall.

Potato digging is active in the Delta area.

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TULARE COUNTY GETS \$362,754 FROM SEQUOIA, INYO NATIONAL FORESTS

SAN FRANCISCO — Tulare county will receive \$362,754.77 from two National forests - the Sequoia and Inyo - as the county's share of receipts from these forests during the fiscal year that ended June 30.

Sequoia forest accounts for \$353,884.05; Inyo forest the balance. Twenty-five percent of gross receipts received from many uses of the 17 National Forests in California go to the state for distribution back to counties on a basis of National

forest lands in the counties.

State total during the past fiscal year ran \$15,700,965. Counties must use the money for roads and schools.

Jack Deinema, regional forester, says that receipts in California were collected from sale of 2.2 billion board feet of timber; from stockmen grazing fees for more than 167,000 head of cattle and sheep on National Forest lands, and for more than 10,900 permits requiring payment for uses on the

National forests. California has 20 million acres of National Forest land.

Crowe Heads Bar Association

VISALIA — J. Thomas Crowe, Visalia attorney, has been named president of the 30,000-member California Bar association. He is the first president from the San Joaquin valley in the 42-year history of the association.

HEART FUND FIGURES GIVEN

FRESNO — Close of the Central Valley Heart association's fiscal year saw a figure of \$109,035.03 as total contributions from the four counties of Madera, Fresno, Kings and Tulare, comprising the association's area. Broken down by counties, the amounts contributed were Madera, \$6,613.76; Fresno, \$64,267.94; Kings, \$8,652.89; and Tulare, \$29,500.44.

LATE DEER SEASON OPENS SEPT. 20

SACRAMENTO — Late deer season opens September 20 in the Sierra, with a higher take of bucks than last year predicted by State Department of Fish and Game officials.

The Farm Tribune BILLBOARD

SEPTEMBER

11-Poplar Chamber of Commerce Barbecue
14-Paul Garcias Organ Recital, Poplar
16-21-48th Tulare County Fair at Tulare
17-Meeting, Porterville Fair Board
18-Annual Meeting, Tulare County Property Owners' Assn., Exeter
19-Groundbreaking, New United California Bank
19-Porterville High Panthers vs Arvin
20-Porterville College Pirates vs COS
20-Opening Late Deer Season
26-Porterville High Panthers vs South High
26-27-28-Centennial, First Baptist Church of Porterville
28-Back To Standard Time
28-Success Gymkhana Show
30-Blood Bank at Elks Lodge

OCTOBER

2-Kiwanis Kapers
3-4-5-Harvest Holidays, Delano
5-12-4-H Week
11-4-H Chuck Wagon Breakfast
16-Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Terra Bella

NOVEMBER

1-Pageant of Pulchritude
2-Dedication, Good Shepherd Lutheran Home of the West
10-Homecoming Queen's Ball
11-Veterans' Day and Homecoming Celebration
15-Fall Tea & Bazaar, Catholic Daughters of America

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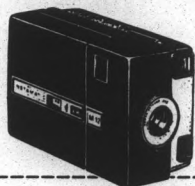
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Estimated salable 1050 compared to 1040 last week and 810 last year. Slaughter cows sold steady to 50c higher; slaughter bulls and calves generally steady; feeder cattle and calves fully steady.

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Grade AA - 6 per lb., deild.	77 1/2-81	79-83	79-83
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Eggs - Price to Retailers, ctn., deild.	42-50	44-52	47-55
Grade AA Large	42-45	44-47	47-50
San Francisco, 6 per dozen			
Los Angeles, 6 per dozen			

Eggs - Prices at Ranch, loose in cases	30-34 1/2	32-36 1/2	35-39 1/2
Large - (Quality-Volume Program)	32-35	34-37	37-40
Fresno Area, 6 per dozen			
Modesto Area, 6 per dozen			

Poultry - 6 per lb.	29.50	31.58	30.08
Fryers - RTC, del. L.A. from S.E.	6	9-9 1/2 M 9 1/2	9 1/2
Hens, Light Type - Cent. Cal. ranch	21	22 1/2	22 1/2-23
Turkeys, Young Hens - Cent. Cal.	19-19 1/2	20 1/2-21	20 1/2-21
Turkeys, Young Toms 24 lbs. up -			

Milk, Mfg. - At Ranch, 6 per cwt., cans	3.71	3.76	3.76
San Joaquin Valley, 3.5 Bft.			

GRAINS & FIELD CROPS

Cotton - 6 per lb., Middling 1-1/16"	32.25	27.25	27.25
Fresno spot market			

Wheat - 6 per cwt., delivered	2.60-2.65	2.62 1/2-2.65	2.65-2.67 1/2
Los Angeles, No. 2 Hard/Soft White	2.25-2.27 1/2	2.52 1/2-2.55	2.52 1/2-2.55
Stockton, No. 2. Soft Red Winter			

Barley - 6 per cwt., No. 2 Western 46	2.45-2.47	2.60-2.65	2.65-2.67 1/2
Los Angeles, delivered	2.32 1/2-2.35	2.60-2.65	2.60-2.62 1/2
Stockton, delivered			

Corn - 6 per cwt., No. 2 Yellow	2.56-2.58	2.80-2.82	2.73-2.75
Los Angeles, delivered (TC)			2.60-2.62 1/2
Stockton, delivered (Calif. crop)			

Grain Sorghums (Milo) - 6 per cwt.,	2.27-2.29	2.66-2.69	2.66-2.68
Los Angeles, delivered (non-trans)			
Stockton, delivered (Calif. crop)			

Alfalfa Hay - 6 per ton, U.S. No. 2	29.00-30.00	31.00-33.00	31.00-33.00
Los Angeles Milk Shed, delivered	29.50-32.50	34.50-36.00	34.50-36.00
Petaluma Milk Shed, delivered			

Dry Beans - Dealer/Shipper Prices	18.25-18.50	12.00-12.35	12.25-12.65
Large Limas, 6 per cwt. (sacked)	14.00-14.25	7.60-7.85	7.85-8.00
Baby Limas, " " " "	9.20-9.40	10.50-10.75	10.50-10.75
Blackeyes, " " " "	8.25-8.75	8.00-8.15	8.10-8.25
Pinks, " " " "	13.00-13.25	10.90-11.20	10.90-11.10
Small Whites, " " " "	10.50-10.75	10.50-10.75	10.50-10.75
	10.75-11.00	10.75-11.00	10.75-11.00

FRUITS & VEGETABLES

	Year Ago	Week Ago	Latest Week
Cantaloups - Jumbo crt., 36s,	4.00-4.50	4.75-5.00	4.00
Westside District			
Carrots - Salinas-King City Dist.	2.85-3.10	4.00	4.00
Topped, 43-1 lb. film bags			
Celery - 2 1/2 doz. stalks, crt.,	2.00	2.50	3.25
Oceano District	1.75-2.00	2.50	3.25
Salinas-Watsonville Districts			
Citrus - FOB Plant, Shippers 1st	4.60	6.25	6.25
Lemons - 140s, Southern Dist	5.00	3.25	3.25
Oranges - Valencia, 11 1/2s,			
Grapes - 26 lb. lug, FOBSP	2.50-2.75	3.25-3.50	3.25
Thompson Seedless, Fresno	2.75-3.25	4.00-4.25	3.75-4.25
Ribier, Kern District	2.25	-	3.50
Tokay, Lodi District			
Honeydews - Cartons, 5s, FOBSP	1.65-1.75	1.50-1.60	1.50-1.60
Cent. San Joaquin Vly.			
Lettuce - 2 dozen heads, ctn.,	2.00	1.25	1.50-1.75
Santa Maria-Guadalupe-Lompoc	2.00-2.50	1.25-1.35	1.75-2.00
Salinas-Watsonville-King City			
Starline - Cent. San Joa. Vly.	4.50	4.00-4.50	4.00
Sept. Grand, 33/1gr.			
Peaches - Cent. San Joa. Vly.	3.00	3.50	3.25
Madera Gen, 72/1gr.			
Potatoes - Long White, U.S. 1A,	2.75	2.75	2.75
Delta District, FOBSP			
Sweetpotatoes - Atwater-Livingston	7.10	-	7.90
Yellow Jersey, 40 lb. ctn.			
Tomatoes - FOBSP	3.50	2.50-3.00	3.25-3.50
Ontario-K. City - Greens	3.00-3.50	2.75	2.25-2.50
Cornard Dist. - Pinks,			
Bulk Wine - 6 per gallon,	55-60, M 55	60-65, M 62 1/2	60-65, M 65
Assorted Dessert	40-47 1/2	45-47 1/2	45-47 1/2
Red Table	40-45	50	-
White Table	52 1/2	60	-
Sweet Table			

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ROBERT HICKS, project manager for the Walt Disney Productions Mineral King development, will speak October 16 at annual meeting of the Terra Bella chamber of commerce in the Terra Bella Veterans' Memorial building.

Status Of Mineral King Development Is Subject Of Project Manager In Terra Bella Talk Oct. 16

TERRA BELLA - Speaker at the 1969 Terra Bella chamber of commerce banquet will be Robert B. Hicks, according to program chairman, Richard Muller. The annual banquet has been scheduled for Thursday, October 16, in the Veterans Memorial building at Terra Bella.

Hicks is project manager for Mineral King, Walt Disney Productions' year-round family resort development in the High Sierra.

He is well acquainted with this area as he was graduated from high school in Visalia in 1939 and from the College of Sequoias in 1941.

For the next year he was assistant chemist at the former Lindsay Ripe Olive company plant in Lindsay, then a pilot for four years with Pan-American Airways in the Pacific and Latin American divisions.

Hicks resigned in 1946 to enroll at Stanford University where he earned a bachelor of science degree in industrial

engineering, then in 1950, a master of business administration degree from the Stanford graduate school of business.

Following graduation Hicks worked in a number of positions, including two years as an economist with the Stanford Research Institute.

In 1957 he started his own business in property consulting work and land management.

His Terra Bella address will be in the nature of a progress report and information on the present status of the Mineral King project.

Glen Duysen, general chairman for the banquet, said the family style dinner is to be served by the Lutheran Women's Missionary league and will feature beef.

Tickets, at \$3.50 per person, will be on sale soon. J. Martin Brown is ticket chairman.

John O'Brien, president, will give a report on the activities of the chamber for this year.

ELDON HUNT DOES IT AGAIN; WINS HOSSCAR

PORTERVILLE - Eldon Hunt, who appeared in the Barn theater's first play, lo, those many years ago, won himself another Hosskar Saturday night at the Barn's annual Hosskar party.

Hunt took top lead acting honors for his role as the grandfather in "You Can't Take It With You." Sharing top honors was Patrick Spencer, who did the title role in "The Caretaker."

Joining Hunt on the honor list was another long-time Barn trouper, Elizabeth Dobson, of Exeter, who earned a Hosskar as best director of the 1968-69 season, while her play, "You Can't Take It With You," was judged best of the season.

Other winners were: Sharon Lukens, of Visalia, best actress; Eldeen Hunt Sheldon, best female major supporting role; Beverly Gorne, best female minor supporting role; Jim Reid, best male supporting role; Teresa Mills, best female bit part; and Boyd Leavitt, best male bit. Technical award went to Bill Akin.

Master of ceremonies for the evening was Larry Cotta; awards were presented by James Hampton, Hollywood television and film actor; dinner music was provided by the Chris Beckley combo, including Beckley, Mel Gosage, Skip Shaffer and Curtis Tilton; the revived Four Counts

entertained - Cliff Clark, Vince Pasion, Larry Bastian, and Bob Poteet.

Terry Sinyard, Barn president, reported on plans for the current Barn season.

PAUL BUNYAN

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will be pouring into the Sierra for the season opening, on Saturday, September 20, the Western High Sierra association is offering a 30-30 Winchester rifle to the hunter who brings in the largest antler spread during the first 10 days of the season.

John Lewis, president of the association, says that to be eligible, hunters must first register at either Pierpoint Springs general store, Camp Nelson Resort general store, The Alpine restaurant at Alpine Village or the restaurant and store at Sequoia Crest. Official entry blanks will be available at all four locations.

Having first signed the entry blank a hunter must then, if he bags a buck, bring it back to the place where he signed the entry form. There the spread between the rack will be measured by a member of the association and recorded on the form. At the end of the ten-day period the results will be judged and the winner announced. Hunters may sign up at any time prior to the opening of deer season.

Picking of Thompson Seedless grapes for the fresh market is heavy.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP AND CERTIFICATE OF ABANDONMENT OF FICTITIOUS NAME

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, GEORGE L. WARDEN and ROBERT J. TUCKER heretofore doing business as co-partners in the town of Strathmore, Tulare County, California under the fictitious name of "W.T. FEED COMPANY" have dissolved their said co-partnership and have abandoned such fictitious name;

That the full names of all the members of such partnership and their respective places of residence are as follows:

George L. Warden, 17873 Avenue 256, Exeter, California;
Robert J. Tucker, 24740 Avenue 324, Lemon Cove, California.
DATED: June 19, 1969.

George L. Warden
Robert J. Tucker
STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
County of Tulare)

On June 19, 1969, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said State, personally appeared GEORGE L. WARDEN and ROBERT J. TUCKER, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged that they executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and Official Seal

Gaylord N. Hubler, Notary Public in and for said County and State.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO CREDITORS Superior Court of the State of California For the County of Tulare No. 20471

Estate of FRED D. BELL, also known as Fred Bell and Frederick Ducalion Bell, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257 which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated August 8, 1969.

NETTIE L. BELL
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Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
Attorneys at Law

141 East Mill Avenue
Porterville, California 93257

Attorneys for Executrix
First publication: August 21, 1969.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA FOR THE COUNTY OF TULARE No. 20524

Estate of CLARENCE W. WHITRIDGE, also known as Clarence Whitridge, C.W. Whitridge, and C. Whitridge, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257 which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated September 8, 1969.

MYRTIE IRENE WHITRIDGE
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS Superior Court of the State of California For the County of Tulare No. 20494

Estate of MIKE PLAMENATZ, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257 which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated August 21, 1969.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS Superior Court of the State of California For the County of Tulare No. 20495

Estate of JOHN C. GAUGER, also known as John Gauger, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257 which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated: August 22, 1969.

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NEW WINE COOKBOOK ISSUED BY BOARD

SAN FRANCISCO - "Epicurean Recipes of California Winemakers," is the title of a new cookbook that has just been issued by the Wine Advisory board. The illustrated book contains 150 recipes; it can be purchased for \$3.50 at book stores, at gourmet shops, or from the Wine Advisory board, 717 Market street, San Francisco.

FIRST SAGEHEN HUNT SINCE 1966

SACRAMENTO — California's first sage grouse hunting season in three years was rated a success by the Department of Fish and Game. Reports from spot checks showed a tally of 611 hunters with 421 birds, an average of .69 per hunter, during the three-day season in Modoc and Lassen counties. The season was the first for "sagehens" in the state since 1966.

LANKFORD SUCCEEDS WIEBE IN SUN-MAID

FRESNO — J. Robert Lankford, chief accountant since 1968, has succeeded Walter H.

GERMAIN SHOWING NEW HYBRID CORN

FRESNO — A Corn show is being held today at the Mickey Murray ranch, south of Laton, to show results being obtained in research plots for new hybrid corn and sorghum varieties. Field tour, and seminar-type discussions, will be handled by Roger Pirie, manager of Germain's Agricultural division, assisted by Bill Fraley, John Qillen and Joe Cotta, Germain's field representatives.

Wiebe, who has retired as treasurer of Sun-Maid Growers of California. Wiebe joined Sun-Maid in 1923; Lankford has been with the organization since 1954.

PRONGHORNS BAGGED IN SPECIAL HUNT

SACRAMENTO — Preliminary figures show that 162 pronghorns were bagged by hunters in California's sixth consecutive special antelope hunt in the northern part of California. Figures to date show a 60 per cent ratio for the 270 hunters who were issued permits.

STRATHMORE CHAMBER MEETS TUESDAY

STRATHMORE — Breakfast meeting of the Strathmore chamber of commerce will be held next Tuesday, September 16, at 7 a.m. in the Strathmore Memorial building.

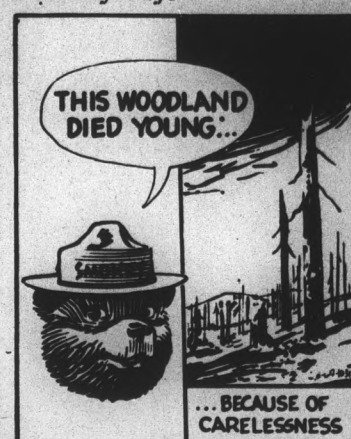
OTTER RETIRES AS FOREST HEAD

SPRINGVILLE — Floyd Otter, manager of the Mountain Home State forest for the past 15 years, has retired from the state division of forestry to become a teacher at Reedley college. He is being succeeded by Richard Schoenheide, of Springville.

GOODREAU HAS TOP HEIFER

VISALIA — Bernard Goodreau, of Visalia, had the leading first-calf heifer in the Tulare County Dairy Herd Improvement association during the month of July - a grade Holstein with a production

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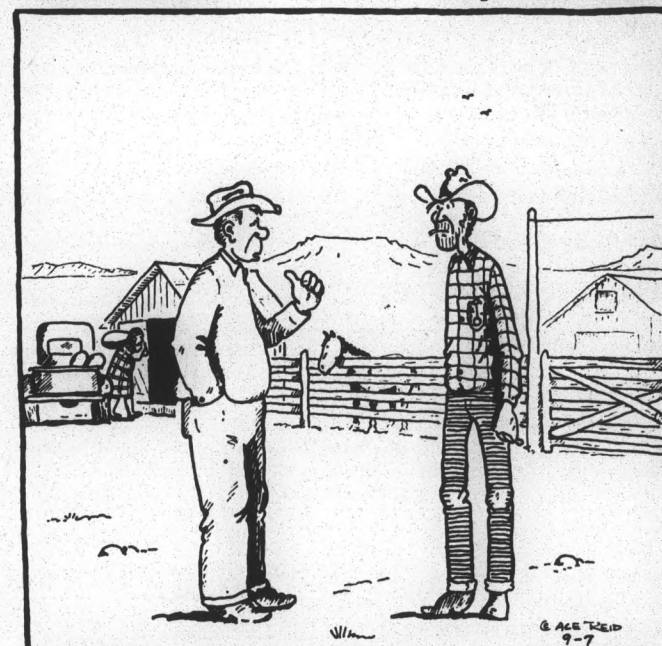
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JIM BAUER, right, Goodyear manager in Porterville, receives a plaque of recognition from Jack Letsinger, president of the Orange Belt board of realtors, complimenting the Goodyear organization for helping "Make America Beautiful." The new Goodyear store, located at the

south east corner of Main and Olive is a joint and mutual venture of the Goodyear company and the land owner, Al Konda. Konda, not pictured, also received a plaque of recognition for the new establishment.

RESEARCH WORK

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Riverside, and at Shafter.

Six different locations will be visited during the day with the tour starting at 9 a.m.

The first stop will be in the Tulare area at the Paul Shannon ranch, to show Acala SJ-1 cotton planted under narrow row spacing compared to the normal planting methods. The location of this stop is one-quarter mile south of the corner of Avenue 248 and Road 140 (Lovers Lane), and one-quarter mile into the field.

The balance of the morning will be spent at the Leon Wilcox ranch in the Strathmore area, east of Avenue 192 and Road 196, to look at both Acala SJ-1 and 4-42 under varying wilt conditions with and without potassium. The Cotton Research Field laboratory at the Wilcox ranch will show work on developing a wilt tolerant cotton and work with a systemic fungicide for control of Verticillium.

The afternoon will be spent in the Tulare-Waukena area looking at variety and strain tests and a wilt nursery for development of wilt tolerant cottons.

Afternoon stops will start at 1:30 p.m. at Tony Mello's where an advanced strain test will show new strains of cotton compared to Acala SJ-1 and Acala 4-42. This test is located one-quarter mile north of Road 60 and Avenue 200.

Cotton growers, gin managers and agricultural industry people interested in cotton production problems, and work underway to help solve these problems, are invited by both Gunn and George to attend this day-long tour.

FAMILY LIFE

SPECIALIST NAMED

DAVIS — Dr. Barbara A. Gunn has been appointed family life specialist for the University of California's Agricultural Extension service. Teacher, counselor, and community mental health organizer, Dr. Gunn succeeds Dr. Ruby D. Harris, who retired recently.

DELEGATES ATTEND 4-H CONFERENCE

TERRA BELLA — Marla Tritch and Jeanette Winfree were delegates from the Terra Bella 4-H club to the recent 4-H Leadership conference at Davis.



TULARE COUNTY branch of the American Cancer society exceeded its 1969 financial goal of \$35,000 by more than \$5,000, it was reported at branch board meeting held last Thursday in Exeter, with Dr. Raymond D. Manchester, retiring president of the branch, left above, and District Attorney Bob Bereman, 1969 Crusade chairman, looking at some of the educational material that will be

used in the Society's 1970 educational campaign. At the recent meeting a number of awards for Cancer society work were made, including those to Porterville individuals: Dr. Warren Goux, Orville Lofton, Ted Sullivan, Jerry Fiala, Mrs. Loretta Bishop and Mrs. Marcella Gamble, along with the Porterville Police force; and Mrs. Joanne Hughes, of Ducor; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Simpson, of

Springville; William Donaldson, of Strathmore; John Boudreau and Richard Muller, of Terra Bella; Mrs. Jim Madland, of Woodville; Russell Spuhler, of Lindsay; Mrs. Frances Brinkley, of Poplar; Mrs. Gerald Neilsen, of Richgrove; and the Tipton Lions club and the Terra Bella Lions club. New board members from Porterville are Mrs. Bishop and Dr. Patrick Nelson.

STUDIO BAND

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charge for children five years and under.

Grandstand admissions to the Destruction Derby and Motorcycle Races will be as follows: Box seats - \$1.75 for adults, \$1.25 for children; grandstand - \$1.25 for adults, \$1.00 for children; bleachers - \$1.00 for adults, and 75c for children.

On "Kids' Day," Tuesday, September 16, students 11 to 16 will be admitted for 25c and children, 10 and under, free.

Season passes are available for \$2.50. This allows one person admission to the fair three times daily for the six days. These passes may be purchased at the fair's main office.

POPLAR BARBECUE

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Serving will continue until everyone is fed. Entertainment will be presented during the evening.

Money raised by the annual barbecue goes into Poplar chamber of commerce funds for community improvement programs, and for operation of the Tule River Youth center.

CATTLEMEN'S DAY SET OCTOBER 30 AT GRAND NATIONAL EXPOSITION

SAN FRANCISCO — The third annual Cattlemen's Day will be a feature of the Grand National Livestock exposition at the Cow Palace in San Francisco, October 24 - November 2.

Cattlemen from all over the United States, Mexico, and Canada will gather on Thursday, October 30, for a full day and night of events planned especially for them, according to Walt Rodman, a Cow Palace director and planning coordinator for the event.

Cattlemen's Day will start at 8 a.m. with the eliminations for the stock horse judging that will take place in the main arena that day. Four large classes, which include the finest reined and Jaquima horses in the world, will be pared down to five finalists in each class.

At noon, the crowning of the Grand Champion Market steer will interrupt the eliminations. This judging should be the most meaningful in the west this year, for Cow Palace manager George Strathearn has appointed a knowledgeable committee to incorporate doing ability, carcass value, and quality in a new steer class that could revolutionize

market steer judging.

At 4:30 in the afternoon, a gigantic chuck wagon barbecue will be held around four specially prepared "water holes" in the main arena. During this happy event, the Pacific Coast Quarter Horse Association will hold its Futurity, and the Futurity champion filly, colt, and gelding for 1969 will be selected.

A highlight of the evening show, planned in honor of the cattlemen, will be the presentation of the Livestock Man of the Year. Also included in the evening program will be a showing of the best 10 head of cattle from all breeds, a buffalo act, a sheep dog act, and the Great Saga of the West, a rapid fire historic western epic.

There will be only three horse show classes, and then five rodeo events will climax the excitement of the evening.

Reservations can be obtained from the Cow Palace, P.O. Box 34206, San Francisco, California 94134. The cost is \$6.50 per person. This amount provides for parking, admission to the grounds, a chuck wagon barbecue, and good seats surrounded by friends in the cattle business.

Reservations should be made early, because many county groups are coming by chartered bus to take in this annual event.

OPERATION "SAIL"

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follow through on things such as this.

Any interested persons in the community are eligible to serve on "SAIL" committees that may be formed, Coon says, however all committees will be headed by a director of the Springville chamber of commerce. Present plan is for a monthly meeting of "SAIL" - on the third Tuesday - to hear reports, listen to speakers on subjects related to community improvements, and to push development.

"All meetings will be open," Coon says. "The main purpose of 'SAIL' is to improve our area, with full cooperation of everyone within the area."

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